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These shoes are from my regular stock and include Patent Leathers, Tans, Dull Leather, Vici Kids—button and lace—heavy and thin soles—high and low heels. This is positively not a lot of cheap stuff put in to fool you with. It is Seymour Cycle stock. While there are all sizes in the lot, there are not all sizes in every style. If you cannot be fitted in one style you can in another. Of course, the best plan is to come early, and thus be assured of getting just what you want.

This is the greatest Shoe Sale ever had. It will be the biggest money-saver shoe buyers have ever experienced. Wise shoppers will come prepared to purchase more than one pair, as it is doubtful if I will ever be prepared to make quite as good an offer. My stock has shaped itself during the year so that an accumulation of about 1700 pairs of \$3.00 to \$6.00 shoes are available for this sale. Odd and broken sizes, in various styles, but all good dependable and mostly stylish shoes.



Many Shoe Novelties Are Included in This Sale

Shoes That Are Worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 a Pair.

No Phone Orders

No Mail Orders

No Exchange

No C. O. D. Orders



STILL IN CHARGE OF CITY SCHOOLS

McChesney, Despite Opposition, Continues as Superintendent at Bristol.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bristol, Va., January 2.—Being unable to make any compromise with the local school board, whereby he will receive the salary of \$1,400 per annum set aside for supervising the city schools, Superintendent S. R. McChesney announces that he will continue as the superintendent of the city schools, a position assigned to him by the State Board, and to which he was elected to serve until 1913. He announces that he will give up the active management of the schools, and will devote a part of his time to other duties, but that he will not relinquish the local board stands in the position of making war upon him to the last. The local board elected Professor Charles Anderson, of Smyth county, as

supervising principal last summer. This Professor McChesney opposed, and declined to endorse the certificate of Professor Anderson, which was necessary before the latter could take charge. This action led to a bitter fight between the superintendent and the school board, and the board persistently refused to allow Professor McChesney a cent for his services, having retained Judge A. A. Phlegar and other prominent lawyers to fight the matter in court to the end. Counsel for the school board takes the position that Superintendent McChesney, under the circumstances, cannot force the board to pay him a cent, so that he has to be content with what the State allows him—\$200 per annum.

The Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, of Washington county, has been organized, with offices at Abingdon. The company is capitalized at \$100,000. The officers are: M. P. Spahr, president; D. O. Pettyjohn, secretary and treasurer; J. G. DeVault, solicitor. The company proposes to do a mutual insurance business among the farmers of the county for the protection of homes and barns and other property, taking the view that it will not be so costly as insurance in the old-line companies, while it will keep the money at home.

Although the Tennesseans have become accustomed to the idea that they are soon to have a Republican Governor, accepting it as a matter of course, there is a deep and general in-

terest in the question of who will be the United States Senator, succeeding the expiration of the term of Senator James B. Frazier. The friends of Senator Frazier and those of former Senator McMillan are lining up in opposition for a strenuous contest before the incoming Legislature. Meanwhile, General Luke Wright and other prominent men are hoping for a favorable turn. Some of the Republicans are in favor of sending a Republican to the Senate, and with this in view Senator Edward E. Butler, of the First Tennessee District, has declared in favor of James B. Cox, who is at present United States attorney for the Eastern District of Tennessee. Cox is a strong and popular man, and the people of East Tennessee feel a special interest in him in this connection, because he is a native of the Eastern end of the State. Virginians have an interest in him for the reason that he married in Virginia, his wife being a daughter of the late Colonel James B. Richmond, who was at one time the representative in Congress from the Ninth Virginia District.

McCurdy—Huff. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Roanoke, Va., January 2.—J. A. McCurdy, a leading merchant of Stephens City, and Miss Abbie M. Huff, daughter of J. W. Huff, formerly of Ham-burg, were married here to-day at the home of Mrs. G. B. Reed, sister of the bride.

News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau, The Times-Dispatch, 1102 Hull Street.

The new station of the Virginia Railway and Power Company, at the corner of Seventh and Hull Streets, was opened to the public yesterday morning. Instead of having to change from the Richmond cars to those for Petersburg in a drizzling rain, as has been the method for years, the passengers were surprised and delighted to be shown into a warm, comfortable waiting room and were able to board the Petersburg cars as they rolled in under the shed provided for the purpose.

While the building of this new station and car barn has been contemplated by the company for some time, it was the heavy increase of passenger and freight traffic that finally forced the move. The building itself covers nearly a square, and has, besides the waiting room, ticket office and car shed, a "rest room" for the employees, which is provided with a pool table, magazines and other books.

Fires have been kept constantly burning in the several stoves in the building for the last few days, and when it was opened to the public yesterday morning the walls and new woodwork were as dry and warm as

they could be made.

The moving of the ticket office and its furnishings was accomplished without a hitch of any kind.

Southside's New Year.

With the exception of a few "celebrations," New Year's passed off very quietly in the Southside. At a late hour last night no arrests at all had been recorded. Banks, courts and other public institutions gave a holiday to their employees yesterday, while most of the merchants of the city closed their stores at least for half the day. Every one seemed to be in a good humor and full of appreciation for the freedom from work and toward nightfall the streets became thronged with jolly pedestrians.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Baltimore Street Baptist Church is holding meetings every night at 8 o'clock in the parlor of the church, and the public is invited to attend. The members of the Southside are worshipping at the week of prayer services in the Grace Street Presbyterian Church.

Horace Clements, a young man who lives in Swansboro, was mysteriously shot in the leg while walking on Hull Street about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Clements, in company with several other young men, was walking on the street, when he suddenly staggered and sank down on the sidewalk, exclaiming, "I am shot." There was absolutely no sign as to whence the shot had come, and the pedestrians who witnessed the accident were reported to capture the man who had fired the bullet.

With the assistance of friends, Mr. Clements went to his home, where he was examined by Dr. Edwin Bryer and other physicians, and the bullet found lodged in the flesh of the leg. No serious results are anticipated, though it is expected that the injury will confine Mr. Clements at home for some time.

From the apparent absence of personal enemies, it is generally believed that the bullet which entered his leg must have been fired by accident. Up to this time no clue has been obtained as to the identity of the gunner, and the police are engaged in trying to clear up the affair.

Attacked by Negroes. Joseph P. Myers, an employee in the store of J. T. Abbott & Sons, on Hull Street, was the victim of an attack by four negroes last Saturday night, as he was walking through Penitentiary Street. Mr. Myers, who lives on Belmont, Richmond, was on his way home after his day's work.

As he crossed Canal Street he passed the figures of four men skulking in the shadows. One of the men, a large, stout fellow, stepped forward and hurled a brick at Mr. Myers in the back of the head.

Stunned, but not unconscious, he whirled to face his assailants, reaching in his pocket as if for a gun. The men fled at his motion, spreading in all directions.

Mr. Myers made his way to the Second Police Station, where he reported the matter to the police. No light has yet been brought to bear on the assailants.

Fined For Disturbance. For the attempt to welcome the New Year with firing of pistols and similar disturbances, J. C. Coy, colored, was arrested Sunday night by Policeman Thelwell and deposited in the Washington Ward Police Station overnight.

He was tried yesterday morning before Justice Maurice, of the Police Court, Part 2, and fined \$30 on the charges of carrying concealed weapons and shooting in the street. He was also asked to furnish \$250 bond for his good behavior for the next six months. Not having the coin, Coy was jailed.

Four Negroes Held. Charged with attempting to shoot

Thomas Williams, colored, four negroes—Agie, Hughes, Eddie Keyes, Onnie Arstead and Butler Keyes—were arrested Sunday night and arraigned yesterday morning before Justice Maurice in the Police Court, Part 2. The case was postponed until Wednesday, and the men were asked to put up \$500 each to insure their appearance at the hearing. Failing to do so, they were sent over to Richmond to be kept until the day appointed.

Forgery Charge. Charged with having forged the name of Albert Dowdy to an order for goods, R. H. Jones was arrested on a warrant issued by Squire Chestnut, of the Oak Grove District, and will be given a hearing before the magistrate Friday morning.

In the warrant Dowdy asserts that Jones ordered some silverware and other goods from a firm out of the city in Dowdy's name about December 1.

Denies the Charge. David Jones, arrested on the charge of being drunk and disorderly on a car of the Petersburg line Sunday night, was brought before Squire Chestnut yesterday morning and gave bond of \$15 for his appearance in the Oak Grove court next Friday morning. Jones stoutly denies the charge.

In the face of the testimony of the conductor of the car and Constable Watts, who made the arrest.

Will Install Officers. Stuart Lodge of Odd-Fellows will hold its regular meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in its hall, at Eighth and Hull Streets, when the officers recently elected for the coming term will be installed. There are also two candidates for initiation who will be made to ride the lodge ungara and do the customary stunts.

Thursday night, District Deputy G. W. Blankenship, who will install the officers of Stuart Lodge, will render the same services to the incoming officers of Henderson Lodge. No definite program has been prepared, but it is expected that addresses will be delivered on both occasions.

Rocky Ridge Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, held its regular meeting last night in Odd-Fellows Hall, Eighth and Hull Streets, when the following officers were installed:

R. E. Robertson, junior past coun-

sellor; C. G. Pearson, councillor; C. O. Owens, vice-councillor; A. L. Sampson, secretary; H. E. Wilson, assistant secretary; J. D. Reams, financial secretary; A. J. Waugh, treasurer; R. S. Reams, Jr., warden; J. P. Tate, conductor; T. E. Parkinson, inside sentinel; G. E. Wilson, outside sentinel; R. F. Whitaker, trustee.

The conclusion of the council session an auxiliary to the council for social and beneficial purposes was instituted, by which any member may secure additional funeral benefit.

Funerals Held. The funeral of Linwood Boulton Savory, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Savory, of 2400 Semmes Avenue, who died Sunday afternoon in Memorial Hospital, will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence.

The funeral of Agnes Puckett, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Puckett, of 1511 Bainbridge Street, who died Saturday afternoon, was conducted yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the home of her parents. Rev. J. C. Miles and Rev. J. J. Flinn officiated. The interment was in Maury Cemetery.

Personal and General. Mrs. David P. Walke is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mayo, of Petersburg, are the guests of relatives in the Southside.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilson, of Washington Ward, have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

The Indiana Tribe of Red Men gathered around the campfire in Toney's Hall last night at 8 o'clock and held an important powwow. Braves, chiefs and plain members were on hand in large numbers.

Plans to Change Location. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., January 2.—The American National Bank, one of the most successful here, will to-morrow morning open in the quarters recently vacated by the First National Bank, which will move into its handsome new home on the corner of Main and Wall Streets to-morrow morning. Both are in a flourishing condition, and have a board of directors composed of conservative and substantial business men.

Reorganization and Consolidation

It is our pleasure to inform the good people of Richmond and Vicinity that the Business formerly conducted by George W. Woodall at 7 E. Broad St., Richmond, Va., and that conducted by Quarles & Wheatfield at 3rd and Broad Sts. the same city, has been consolidated. The Stock of Quarles & Wheatfield will be moved to 7 E. Broad St. at once.

The Store will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday January 3rd and 4th, to arrange for such a trade and price upheaval as has not occurred before.

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